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TRAIN ROBBERS COME TO GRIEF.

ONE MORTALLY WOUNDED AND
ANOTHER CAPTURED.

HAD PREPARED A DEATH TRAP.

Warned by a "Peach" a Sheriff's Posses
Frustrates a Hold-Up on
the B. & O.

E. P. Garner, car accountant for the Washburn Railroad, with offices in East St. Louis, brought to this city Thursday morning the details of the attempt to wreck and rob a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train near Salem, Ill., Wednesday night.

Mr. Garner is a brother of A. C. Garner, ex-city marshal of Salem, who was Sheriff Barnes' ablest lieutenant in thwarting the wreckers' plans.

The three wreckers, two of whom were captured, are residents of Salem, said Mr. Garner, and were known about the village as hard characters. Also Tweed, the robber who was shot, was out on parole from the Chester Penitentiary. Thomas Schumaker, the other man captured, is an ex-convict from the Indiana prison, by his own confession.

These two men, the one who escaped, and a fourth band together not long ago to do a general business in the criminal line. They were to deal in everything from petty larceny to train robbery. After they had planned to hold up the New York Express on the B. & O. line, they had a difference and the game broke up in a row.

One of them told Sheriff Barnes, upon the Sheriff's promise to protect him and not divulge his name, of the plan to wreck and loot the train, but said he did not know the date or place selected. He promised to find out and report these important particulars and he kept his word.

Returning to his former pals he said he was sorry he had left them and begged to be let in on the part taking they were about to pull off. The rogues plotted, took back into their fold the deserter, and then proceeded to lay bare the plot.

The night New York express on the B. & O., they said, was the train likely to yield the best haul and the Shenafelt cult, midway between Odin and Salem, was picked out as the best and safest spot from a wrecker's standpoint, though decidedly the most dangerous to a passenger's way of looking at things.

The railroad tracks over the Shenafelt culvert are nearly fifty feet high. Tall, thick-leaved trees grow up from the hollow, shading the trestle, and for a stretch of a quarter of a mile at each end of the trestle the forest is dense and dark enough for highway robbery in the day time, yet nothing of midnight operations.

All day Wednesday the three men hauled railroad ties to the trestle. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon the man who peached, who by some pretext was excused from the day's work, reported the situation to Sheriff Barnes.

The Sheriff collected a posse of six men and installed ex-Marshall Garner as his assistant. The posse started from Salem in buggies soon after 6 o'clock and drove to Odin. There they left the buggies, and set out to go over every inch of the track between Odin and Salem.

At 10:30, or very near that hour, they came upon Shenafelt culvert. Sure enough just as the "peach" had told them, there were three men whose forms were faintly outlined by the beams of the rising moon as they fell through the thick foliage.

Almost in the center of the trestle was a high pile of ties thrown across the express train's track. The wreckers were gathered together on a side of the embankment in convenient position to jump aboard the sleeping cars as soon as the train came to a standstill.

Sheriff Barnes and his posse got within thirty yards of the wreckers before they were discovered. When they saw they were caught the wreckers ran down the side of the embankment.

The express train was now due in about 20 minutes. Sending back two of his men to flag the train, the Sheriff, Mr. Garner and two others, went after the fugitives. "Halt," called out Mr. Barnes, and one of the wreckers, who turned out to be Shumaker, halted.

The other two continued to run and Mr. Garner fired. A man who proved to be Tweed fell with a groan, and Garner sent two more bullets after his fleeing partner.

Neither shot took effect and the man escaped.

By this time the rumble of the approaching express was heard. As it neared the spot where death was stationed only a few minutes before the engineer saw the warning torches of the posse and came to a dead stop. The wounded man and the other prisoner were bundled into the baggage car to be taken to Salem for safe keeping. It was the work of but a few minutes to throw the pile of ties down the sides of the embankment and the train moved on with not one out of ten passengers aware that they had had such a narrow escape. Those who did notice the halt of the train in the woods did not know the wherefore and attributed it to a water tank or a poorly oiled part of the engine.

But the engineer and fireman and conductor and those trainmen who did know the cause of the stop fairly held their breath in horror when they got a good look at the pile of ties and the distance over the trestle's side. All agreed—and train crews are not given to overestimating such matters—that if the locomotive had ever hit that pile of ties the engine and coaches directly behind would have been derailed and gone down the embankment.

In all probability the other coaches would have gone with the front cars, the train

men declared, and such an accident could not have failed to entail great loss of life. The prisoners were taken to the Salem jail and locked up. They admitted that they intended to rob the train, but denied that they wished to derail the engine or to touch any of the money in the express car. They said they had designs only on the occupants of the six or seven sleeping cars, and placed the ties on the tracks only to force the engineer to come to a stop. Then they were to board the sleepers, lock the conductors and porters in the toilet rooms and hold up the passengers.

It is said that the train which left St. Louis about 9 o'clock Wednesday evening carried more than \$100,000 in the express car. The robbers disclaimed any knowledge of this and stick to their original story of a purpose to deal solely with the passengers. To "the Peach" they can point as the man who prevented them becoming richer. The plan would have surely worked well but for the interference of the Sheriff, and the haul would have been a rich one. The sleeping cars were occupied to their capacity, and the occupants were of a jewelry-wearing and bill-carrying class.

It was thought in Salem Thursday morning that Tweed's wound would result in death.

BIG CLEARINGS.

Aggregated \$8,056,376, the Largest in
the Clearing House
History.

The bank clearings for this city for Thursday reached the large aggregate of \$8,056,376. This is the largest amount ever cleared here in the history of the St. Louis Clearing House Association, and marks an epoch in the development of local financial transactions.

Secretary Stoddard could give no special cause for the large clearings, saying only that "the banks had the checks," and they came to the clearing house in the ordinary conduct of business and from all sources. It is presumed, however, that recent heavy purchases and trades in street railroad property and of grain elevators had something to do with the large amount.

The news of the heavy clearings was received on "Change with evident pleasure, and there were some speculations as to the specific cause for it. But all were of the opinion St. Louis city had done pretty well for a hot day.

FOR FREE SILVER.

Normal and Aggressive Action of New
Jersey Democrats.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, June 17.—New Jersey Democrats are for free silver. Every county in the State was represented at the meeting of the Democratic State Committee here. This was unusual. The reason so much interest was taken was that it was known the policy of the State organization toward the Democratic ticket or McKinley would be outlined or indicated. This was done, but no resolution or formal action was needed. The committee did not, however, restrain itself from expressing its views, for its action in dropping the counties which sent in the names of gold Democrats for appointment to the County Board of Elections was indication enough.

BERRY INDICTED.

The Tramp Millionaire Charged With
Wife Desertion.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
MT. VERNON, Ill., June 17.—The Grand jury has just returned into open court an indictment charging millionaire Jim Berry with wife desertion. The case has not yet been set for trial. Berry is said to go constantly armed and seems ready for anything that may happen. His brother from Gloversville, N. Y., is said to be here.

THE RAID ON THE POLICE FORCE.

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"It is evident that in my brief interview with your reporter yesterday either he or I got two distinct things mixed up. I did say that I approved, and, in fact, am on record as approving the bill for an increase of the police force. No one can familiarize himself with the duties of the St. Louis police force and the wide extent of territory it has to cover and protect without being convinced that a considerable increase of the force is absolutely necessary to the safety of persons and property. An increase of 100 men, with the complement of officers, is not sufficient, but it would be a long step in the right direction.

"The Comptroller has been frequently quoted as saying that there is no money with which such an increase of force could be paid. But in my judgment, there is no expenditure of municipal money more advantageous to the people, more economical in fact, than what is expended for an adequate police force.

"You must bear in mind that this expenditure is not all on the debit side of the account. A vast deal of municipal money is expended on the courts, jails, hospitals, dispensaries, etc. A considerable part of this expense is due to an inadequate police system. It is my opinion that at least one-half of the cost of increasing the police force of St. Louis by 100 men would be saved to the city in other directions I have indicated. It is for this reason that I am heartily in favor of it in fact I am impressed with the absolute necessity of an increase of the police force.

"But I am not in favor of a reduction of the pay of the police. On the contrary, I am heartily opposed to it. I have my opinion as to the meaning and purpose of the proposed salary reduction bill, but it is not my purpose to discuss that now. I do not care to arouse any needless antagonisms nor to force issues unless they are forced upon the Police Board. But I wish to say now emphatically that a reduction of the pay of the police is a bad thing, and should only be sold under a drapshop license.

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The Commissioner also has a sharp eye for druggists who sell whiskey without a prescription.

"I know this is being done," he said, "and I am determined that it shall be stopped, or those druggists take out a license. 'The reason there has not been more done to prevent this practice is that it is difficult to secure a conviction. I must get the direct testimony of the purchaser that he obtained the liquor with the druggist's knowledge, and then I must have a portion of the whiskey itself.'"

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KNEELAND'S TWO WIVES.

The One From St. Louis Is on His
Trail.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., June 17.—Albert Kneeland, the artist who has two living wives, is wanted by Mrs. Orma Kneeland, his St. Louis wife, who says she intends to prosecute him for bigamy. Mrs. Orma Kneeland is in the city now searching for her husband.

Kneeland was married here April 20, 1896, to Miss Anna Moon, and in a short time his St. Louis wife came here in search of him. He compromised with her by entering into a written agreement to give her \$15 a month out of the \$22 a month he draws as a pension from the Government. The St. Louis wife says she has violated the agreement, and had to count her duty during the past two or three months. Kneeland and his St. Joseph wife left here about that time, and have not yet been located.

MUCH TEA AFLOAT.

Northern Pacific Steamers Alone Are
Bringing 12,000,000 Pounds.

TACOMA, Wash., June 17.—More tea is afloat on the Pacific Ocean than ever before. Importers have bought in Japan and China for immediate delivery, and are having their consignments hurried across so as to enter them before the Dingley bill goes into effect, with its 10c per pound duty on tea. All available space on all transpacific steamers has been engaged for months ahead. The Northern Pacific Steamship Co. has four big liners en route from Yokohama to Tacoma, bringing about 12,000,000 pounds.

Other steamers are loading at Shanghai and Yokohama, and thousands of tons of new crop tea have already arrived. Half the tea imported into the United States this season will enter at Tacoma. The Government Tea Inspectors and the railroad have made special provisions for rapid handling of the

SNOW IN IDAHO.

Three Inches Fell at Soda Springs in
That State.

POCATELLO, Idaho, June 17.—A severe cold wave swept over southern Idaho, three inches of snow falling at Soda Springs.

WOMEN MURDERED.

A Crude Imitator of "Jack the Ripper"
Has Been Terrorizing To-
kio, Japan.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, June 17.—Advice from Japan say that a crude imitator of "Jack the Ripper" has slain several young women recently in Tokio. The murders, which were four in number, all occurred in the first part of May, and so great was the excitement in Tokio that what might be called a wave of suicidal hysteria set in, and several young women killed themselves out of sheer fear of the murderer. Unlike the victims of the original "Jack the Ripper," the women slain by the Japanese murderer were in every case of good character, and all of them belonged to the better class.

The first three of his victims were killed in the first week of May in the Kanda district, which is the most populous ward of Tokio. The body of a young woman was found under a bridge, dismembered and one arm cut off. The second murder terrified the women of the city, and the entire efforts of the police were directed toward capturing the murderer, but no clew to the identity of the butcher was found. The police, patrolling the Kanda district, were doubled, but in spite of the vigilance of the police, another murder occurred within the week.

On the shelving banks of the canal the body of another young girl with the arms missing was found, and so great was the panic that many women left the city. Then the police force about the bridge and in the streets adjacent to Surugadai was quadrupled, and the officers patrolled the district in such great numbers that the murderer must have been frightened.

For more than a week no more new cases were reported, and the police were beginning to breathe easily again, when, on the 12th, the mutilated body of a handsome, well-dressed young woman was found hanging from a tree. The medical examination revealed the fact that she had been murdered before she was hanged. Her arms were missing, but on other respects her mutilation was not the same as in the first three cases.

The discovery of the body of the last victim produced a great panic among the women of Tokio, which was followed by a wave of suicidal hysteria far-reaching in its consequences. Then the police issued an order that no young woman was to be allowed on the streets of Tokio after dark unless she was accompanied by a male escort, and the press censor refused to allow any of the details of the murders to appear in the Tokio newspapers.

Only the vaguest references to the horrible crimes appeared, because the Government officials have an idea that if the true story got abroad it would injure the entire country.

The police believe that the murders were committed by students, of whom there are 30,000 in Tokio.

MYSTERY OF A YACHT.

Unknown Vessel Sunk on a Reef in
Chatham Straits.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
PORTLAND, Ore., June 17.—Charles J. Stewart, trader connected with the Missionary Station at Hoonah Bay, Alaska, and who has arrived in Portland, says that sunk in the cradle of Man-of-War-Rocks, in Chatham Straits, first having been dashed by breakers on the reef, is the dismantled hull of a schooner yacht, possibly of eighty tons burden. The yacht is just astern of the old Russian exploring ship Vysnisk, whose loss was recorded in 1780.

Indian divers to their yearly searching for treasures on the April tides went down into the hull April 30. At one of the divers came to the surface with a human skull. The body of a woman found about in the richly furnished cabin of the yacht. He described the body as that of a girl between 16 and 17 years of age, well-dressed with beautiful hair and features well preserved. Where the yacht hailed from or who the people aboard were is a question distressing those knowing of the discovery.

MCKINLEY'S OFFER OF MEDIATION.

MINISTER WOODFORD WILL TAKE
THE NOTE TO MADRID.

PRESIDENT PREPARING IT.

Consul General Lee Will Be Succeeded
Soon by Ex-Representative
Aldrich of Chicago.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Stewart L. Woodford, the new Minister to Madrid, will take with him the President's note to Spain, offering mediation for Cuba. The note is now being prepared and will be confirmed and ready to start.

Consul General Lee is to be succeeded very soon by ex-Congressman Frank Aldrich of Chicago, who was selected some time ago as McKinley's choice for Consul General to Havana.

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

THUNDERSTORMS; COOLER.
For St. Louis and vicinity—Thunder storms Thursday afternoon or night; Friday generally fair; cooler Thursday night.

For Missouri—Thunder storms in north portion Thursday afternoon; fair Thursday night; increasing cloudiness Friday.

For Illinois—Local thunder storms in south and central portions Thursday afternoon; generally fair Thursday night and Friday.

The river at St. Louis will remain nearly stationary.

The pressure is low throughout the country except in the Gulf States and on the North Pacific Coast. It is lowest in Alberta, with a secondary depression in Kansas.

Thunder storms have been general except in the southwest quarter of the country, with heavy rains in many places.

The temperatures have fallen generally except where no rain fell.

The following heavy precipitations (in inches) was reported: Havre, 1.02; Bismarck, 1.36; Duluth, 1.84; Chicago, 2.0; Huron, 1.0; Indianapolis, 1.14; Columbus, 1.08; Montgomery, 1.04; New Orleans, 1.2.

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BURIAL PERMITS.

The following burial permits were issued during the twenty-four hours ending at noon.

FRED STELLERN, 7 3/4 Gravois; group.

MARY E. WELSH, 6, 1919 Franklin; cancer.

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MISS OLIVIA ALLEN OF LABADIE, MO.

This young lady has been chosen Maid of Honor to represent the Tenth Congressional District at the Confederate Reunion at Nashville. Miss Allen is still a schoolgirl, bright and pretty. Her father, Prof. Allen of the Labadie High School, is a native Virginian and fought in "Stonewall" Jackson's command.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.
URRIS'S-CAVE—"Carmen."
KOEHLER'S GARDEN—"Baccante."
BOYTON GARDEN—Vanderbilt.
FOLMER PARK—Hillside—Vanderbilt.
SUBURBAN GARDEN—Vanderbilt.

RAIDING THE POLICE.
The bill which is to be introduced into the Municipal Assembly, reducing the pay of the policemen from \$28.33 to \$20 per month, is simply a part of the scheme of loot which has been undertaken by the Filley-Ziegenhein combine for the benefit of the "push."

There has long been a demand for an increase of the police force. Such an increase has become necessary with the expansion of the city. Taking advantage of this, on the pretense of increasing the force, the proposed bill, by temporarily cutting down salaries, will drive off the force all the best men, and thus make places for Filley's hoodlum henchmen. The pay of the police is small enough now. It is less than that of other cities of the same rank as St. Louis. It is as small a salary as will secure men who will be creditable to the Department. It is the manifest intention of the Filley-Ziegenhein combine to get control of all the salaried offices in the city government through "reorganization" schemes of this kind. The Police Commissioners and other good citizens should do all they can to prevent it.

MEXICO AND THE GOLD PREMIUM.
It is hard for the Globe-Democrat to be more amusing than it is when it refers, cheerfully, to the increase in the amount of locked-up gold in the Treasury as an evidence of increasing prosperity. It does this every day, and never without reminding us of Congressman John Allen's schedule of the joint assets of himself and Jay Gould. "Gould and I are together worth \$100,000,000," said he. "I've got five dollars and Jay's got the rest."

But the Globe-Democrat can be even more amusing, at rare intervals, than it is every day. It is so when it gravely points out that gold is at 11 per cent premium in Mexico, where silver reigns. And in the same issue in which this appears we catch a glimpse of foreign capital passing through the United States for investment in Mexico. The irresistible inference is that a gold premium is a good thing for business. And men old enough to have engaged in business in this country when there was not a gold dollar locked up in the Treasury, and when gold commanded a premium of nearly one hundred per cent, can understand how business is booming in Mexico, and they can readily comprehend the meaning of a gold premium. A statement published in the Globe-Democrat a few days ago, showing the increase in earnings of the Mexican Central line in one month to have been greater than that of all the trunk lines in the United States for the same time.

A government of good faith and credit with a territory of undeveloped resources, has nothing to fear from a gold premium. And the faith and credit of Mexico under free coinage of silver, is as good and as well recognized as that of any Government in the world.

BEST SUGAR BOOM.
The McKinley Administration has done all it could, by distributing seed and information on the sugar beet, to induce farmers to embark in sugar beet culture, on the supposition that beet sugar factories are such a good thing that manufacturers will soon build them all over the country. No doubt a great many farmers have taken the bait, and possibly several persons with more money than foresight are contemplating the erection of beet sugar plants in States where the beets must be purchased at a price based on the cost of white labor.

The recent report of State Labor Commissioner Fitzgerald, of California, ought to open the eyes of American farmers and farm laborers who think they see a fortune in sugar beets to the true situation. He says that 88 per cent of the labor engaged in sugar beet raising in California is Chinese and Japanese labor, and that the Japanese will monopolize the labor used in the beet raising industry of California in another year. The majority of American farmers, especially in Kansas and Nebraska, which States are supposed to be especially adapted for beet raising, are to a large extent their own employers—they use

their own labor. In raising sugar beets for the factories such farmers would be competing with the cheap Japanese and Chinese labor of California. Such beet sugar factories also as may be erected on the strength of this boom will either have to pay for the beets on the basis of the cheap Japanese labor or be undersold by the California concerns having the benefit of such labor. In either case the American farmer will find himself the victim of a bunko game if he engages in beet-raising for the factories.

"THE FORGOTTEN MAN."
The most significant utterance in the tariff debate so far was that of Senator Mills when he said: "It comes to speak for the forgotten man—the taxpayer from whose labor and sweat this vast fund is to be wrung by legislative rapine for distribution among favored beneficiaries." It was high time someone interrupted the tariff grabbers to call attention to "the forgotten man"—the taxpayer, whose pocketbook the tariff barons are so eagerly struggling to get. "The forgotten man" is grimly looking on, conscious that he will have to furnish every dollar demanded by the non-American vampires to add to their ill-gotten hoards.

But tariff plunderers and their agents in the Senate will do well to bear in mind the simple fact, because he is forgotten. He has been extremely patient under the burdens heaped upon him for the benefit of others. But there is a limit to his patience. He was very patient in France during the first two-thirds of the eighteenth century. When at last he decided that patience had ceased to be a virtue the throne crumbled, the "nobles" were sequestrated for the benefit of the community, and the gutters around the Place de la Concorde ran with blood. "The forgotten man" had asserted himself. In all ages the man who is so apt to be forgotten when taxes are being imposed is a very dangerous man when he comes into recognition by the powers that be.

THE HAWAIIAN BOND DEAL.
An evidence of the fact that the McKinley treaty for the annexation of Hawaii was dictated by the New England bond syndicate, is that clause of the Treaty providing that the Government shall assume the Hawaiian bonded indebtedness. There is no reason why Hawaii should be annexed. But if any such reason existed, there can be no good reason why, if Hawaii has in it the potentialities of an American State, it could not fund its present bonded indebtedness of \$1,000,000 as the United States has done. If Hawaii has no such potentiality, what do we want with it?

The New England holders of the Hawaiian bonds cannot now plead the poverty of Hawaii without surrendering their entire case. Hawaii is no poorer now than when they bought these bonds at less than half their face value. If, now, they admit that Hawaii was insolvent when they bought her securities, they will admit having contemplated the use of the credit of this Government to make them large gainers where otherwise they would be losers. They will admit, too, that they are proposing to pension upon this credit an inveterate community not good for the obligations it contracts, and liable at any time to fall into repudiation. The Hawaiian Treaty is nothing but another bond deal for private enrichment at public expense.

A LABOR SUGGESTION.
The New York Commercial Advertiser, in a long editorial on "The Labor Problem," says that the recent strikes "direct attention to the scientific treatment of the problem." It adds that labor organizations can no longer be ignored "or suppressed by a large majority of the employers." * * * The forces of labor will have to be recognized for what they are—forces moving (groping now, perhaps, in darkness) for the betterment of the general conditions of man on earth." To solve this problem, the Commercial Advertiser suggests that those now at work on it should make way for others. They reformers who have so far called attention to the labor problem and made various plans for its solution, the Commercial Advertiser dismisses as "doctrinaires, editorial scolds, professional altruists, and political and ecclesiastical demagogues."

In the place of these voluntary reformers, who are giving time, energy and money to bring about better conditions in the social and industrial world, the Commercial Advertiser asks "representatives of the larger employers, the specially chosen representatives of manual industry and the wisest among our statesmen, economists and clergymen, to meet and organize for the systematic study of the question."

The Commercial Advertiser being a New York newspaper of the narrow Eastern variety, holds that no statesmen, economists or clergymen but those with Eastern ideas are "wise." Hence the new saviors of the labor problem would be made up of men like Rockefeller, Carnegie, Armour and other "representatives of the larger employers," and Republican tariff and gold standard "statesmen," economists like Edward Atkinson, whose gospel is more thrift for the workingman, and some of the divines who were to be found on the Wall street side in 1896. The workingman is to have no voice in the proposed conference.

We send an extra Ambassador to Queen Victoria's Jubilee and drink to her health in Jubilee cups, while we rob Queen Lilloukalan of her kingdom and allow her no compensation whatever. Of course the American people are opposed to royalty, but they should be consistent in their treatment of it.

Every man, Democrat or Republican, who votes in Congress for the benefit of the trust, should be spotted and retired. The most infamous of all traitors is the tool of the trusts, who betrays the interests of his own people in legislation for the benefit of powerful and unscrupulous combinations.

Secretary Sherman's final flop from opposing annexation to approving it creates no surprise. Mr. Sherman has always flopped. He is one of the greatest floppers in the history of the country.

The increased warmth of the weather is taking many city people to the country and to the seashore, but they have the Post-Dispatch sent to their vacation re-

sorts. St. Louis people, at home or abroad, read the Post-Dispatch in preference to any other local journal.

If the so-called "sound money Democrats" were to reflect for one moment on their ridiculous inadequacy in numbers, they could hardly be too stupid to see the absurdity of asking from six to ten millions of genuine Democrats to abandon cherished principles to follow a mere squad which is in reality nothing more than a side-show to the monometallic and high tariff circus.

It is so difficult to reach corruption by ordinary means that the framers of the new Constitution of Delaware deny trial by jury to persons accused of bribery. Under this Constitution bribers can be sent to the penitentiary by a commission of judges. This looks like an extreme measure, but there has been great provocation for it in Delaware.

It is to be hoped that the six powers will use their influence to have the Greek poet, Mr. Karapanagoulou, released from jail and restored to the quiet of his home. Mr. K. is liable to find typographical errors in his name as long as he is used as an item of news in the American papers.

A single Jersey town sent 2,261 names in protest against a national beer tax. The dry, warm part of the year is not the best time to legislate against beer. Saloons are then overrun with customers, who are thirsty enough, if not drunk enough, to sign any kind of a wet petition.

Anna Eva Fay's prediction of the Mollie mine may have come true, but her prophecy that Dr. Starkloff would succeed Mayor Walbridge must have been given her by some demon not wholly familiar with the "Schmierkase Verein."

That newspaper readers appreciate the importance of getting their news before the morning papers can be issued is made plain in the great circulation of the Post-Dispatch, which is larger than that of any other newspaper in St. Louis.

Senator Mason may not be able to get offices for his constituents, but he will perhaps succeed in getting a tariff duty placed on dried blood and skeletons. It will never do for him to return to Illinois without some sort of a record.

Four dollars a week paid at a truck store is not fattening wages for Pennsylvania miners, but perhaps Senator Ely will kindly send up and say to Pennsylvania that in this case wages ought not to be reduced.

Gov. Tanner will take a vacation which it is to be regretted cannot be permanent. After signing the bill for the people of Chicago and settling vile example to all his successors, he might very well retire.

Hawaiian annexation brings Hawaiian sugar into the United States free of duty for all time. The new beet sugar industry will be needed, but not so much, with the Hawaiian supply.

It is to be hoped that the rich gold finds in Ontario may in time revive the stagnant business of the Dominion, which is dying under the gold standard.

"And now the cuckoo calls once more," says Laureate Austin in his Jubilee ode. Does the cuckoo "call" up and say to this country he only bluffs? Poet Laureate Austin's jubilee poem credits Victoria with making an empire of her island realm. This is poetry, perhaps. It is not truth.

If Englishmen were properly grateful to Mr. Cleveland it would be Oxford or Cambridge that would confer upon him the degree of D. D.

The padded pay roll is not exclusively a municipal institution, as the Topeka and Santa Fe road appears to have discovered.

The Senate debate yesterday is mentioned as snappy. That body, when it reaches Sugar Trust interests, is soft snappy. Medicine is costly at best, but the tariff tinkers are doing all they can to add to the burdens of the sick poor.

The new Mayor will bury the city charter, and the city will have to pay all the funeral expenses.

Reflections of a Bachelor.
From the New York Press.
Marriage is the embalming fluid of love. It often makes a lovely corpse.

Women have a theory that a bad man can never like to watch a sunset or smell flowers.

A man can always get the respect of a woman by letting on that he doesn't tell all he knows.

No matter how good he is to her, a woman will always have a horrible doubt whether her husband will meet her in heaven.

When a woman wants to call her husband down before company she needn't say anything. She only needs to smile in a sort of depressing way.

Some women's idea of taking care of a man is to have a lot of fussy sachet bags to put in the bottom of the drawers he keeps his shirts in.

Interesting.
From the Cincinnati Enquirer.
"I find the American farmer so interesting," twittered the poetess.
"I manage to extract a good deal of interest out of him myself," was the answer of the short, elderly, double-chinned gentleman, who, as it afterward developed, was in the mortgage business.

Bad Case.
From the Detroit Free Press.
"My wife claims house eight times a year," said the applicant for divorce.
"Decree granted," said the Judge in a voice that shivered.

BE THOU A BIRD, MY SOUL.
Be thou a bird, my soul, and mount and soar.
Out of thy wilderness,
Till earth grows less and less,
Heaven, more and more.

Be thou a bird, and mount, and soar, and sing.
Till all the earth shall be
Vibrant with ecstasy
Beneath thy wing.

Be thou a bird, and trust, the autumn comes.
That through the pathless air
Thou shalt find elsewhere
Cherishing, home.
ARTHUR GRAVES CANFIELD.

IN THE PUBLIC EYE



PROF. FANCIULLI.
This is the head of the Marine Band at Washington, who has been dismissed from the service because he refused to obey an order to play one of Sousa's pieces on Decoration Day, he having made his own selection.

MEN OF MARK.

Senator Deboe, the new Kentucky member, has called regularly once a day at the White House since he took his seat as Senator.

President McKinley's mail averages from 1,000 to 1,500 letters a day, besides several large sacks of newspapers. This is the largest mail in the history of the Presidential Mansion.

Henry W. Lucy, besides having had one of the most interesting careers in Journalism, is the quickest writer on the British press. He dictates all his work to a shorthand clerk, and he is declared to make the largest income earned by Journalism.

Representative Bailey of Texas when a boy was considered lazy, but he had his ambition awakened by the character of Ishmael Worth in Mrs. Southworth's "Island; or, in the Depths," and dates his career from the reading of that novel.

Mr. Gladstone has finished reading the proofs of the first volume of his "Later Gleanings." He has carefully revised the twelve collected papers that form the bulk of it. His postscript on the Pope and Anglican orders is, of course, wholly fresh material.

Ernest Hooley, the millionaire, has many hobbies; perhaps the chief of them is farming. He is the biggest sheep breeder in England, though not perhaps in the United Kingdom. He is fond of buying royal stock, and some of his most successful purchases have consisted of Shropshire ewes bred at Sandringham.

WOMEN OF NOTE.

Dr. Emma Wakefield, who has just successfully passed an examination, is the first colored woman to be licensed to practice medicine in Louisiana.

Seven hundred people attended the 10th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Beck of Burnside Township, Clearfield County, Pa., on Wednesday. She was the mother of six children, and has thirty-three grandchildren.

The memory of his wife has been honored by William Waldorf Astor in his gift to the Children's Aid Society of New York of their new school building in East Sixteenth street. This building, which has just been opened, makes twenty industrial schools owned by this society.

Queen Victoria approaches her diamond jubilee in excellent health. Except a weakness of eyesight and a tendency to rheumatism, her physique is perfect, the brain, heart and lungs being in the same condition as those of a healthy woman of 20. She certainly takes as much interest in match-making and in the love affairs of those about her as a woman of 20 does.

Jaryna Jerynkowna, an 18-year-old prophesist of Bukovina, has come to grief. She declared that she died and was buried four years ago, that she went to heaven, and was sent back by God to redeem mankind. Crowds of peasants followed her from town to town in spite of the remonstrance of the priests, till the police arrested the prophesist, as she had a criminal record for petty larceny.

BUDGET OF JOKES.

Mrs. Cheerington: Always cultivate a sympathetic character. Mrs. Glimly: Yes; they're so useful to tell your troubles to.—Brooklyn Life.

It is one of the strange things of this world that every now and then a girl will give up a \$15 salary to get a \$10 husband.—Somerville Journal.

Perry Patetic: Madame, while I don't ask you to meet me with a smile.—Mrs. Ferry: Oh, you don't? "Still, I would like her to smile me with a meal."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Baseballist: Yes, when a disgruntled player is mean enough to come up behind the umpire and slug him in the neck it is perfectly proper to call it a base hit.—Somerville Journal.

"You get through the paper mighty quick." "Yes, I read it by candle light." "Any headline in particular?" "One, 'Non-Intensions Sent to the Senate.'—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Here's a good story of adventure," said the assistant editor. "All right," replied the editor-in-chief. "If you make it all happen to a man on a bicycle we'll take it, of course."—Chicago Evening Post.

After the Proposal—She: Why did you look so worried, Bertie? Did papa object? Bertie: No, but he said, "It's all right. You'll soon find out it's useless to kick when Nellie's head is set on anything."—Brooklyn Life.

THOSE ALLURING AIDS.
From the Cleveland Leader.
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PLUTOCRACY.

From the Speech of Senator Mills on the Tariff Bill.
I come, sir, to speak for the forgotten man—the taxpayer. I come to speak for those from whose pockets this vast sum is to be raised, from whose labor and sweat day and night this vast contribution is to be taken. They have some right to be asked the councils of the nation when their property is to be taken by an act of legislative rapine and distributed among men who have paid no consideration for it.

What are we doing? Building up a vast and solid plutocracy in this country. Somebody asked the other day how many millionaires there are in the United States. You could count them on the fingers of one hand before 1890. The policies and measures adopted by the Democratic administrations before the war did not permit the growth of such monsters in this country. Republican policies have fostered and fattened them. They now insolently refuse to be taxed and insolently demand that other people shall work out their lives to pay them tribute.

I read from a paper written by Thomas G. Shearman, one of the ablest lawyers in the United States. It was published and republished again in the magazines. It was published in 1890. It has never been questioned. It has been sent broadcast, and never have I heard one breath of contradiction or criticism of the article. I will read what he says, and he gives the names of some of them in his discussion and they do not deny it.

There are 200 persons worth \$25,000,000 each—\$5,000,000,000.
There are 400 persons worth \$10,000,000 each—\$4,000,000,000.
There are 1,000 persons worth \$5,000,000 each—\$5,000,000,000.
There are 2,000 persons worth \$2,500,000 each—\$5,000,000,000.
There are 6,000 persons worth \$1,000,000 each—\$6,000,000,000.
Twenty-four billion dollars owned by \$60 persons.

There are 15,000 persons who own \$500,000 each, making \$7,500,000,000.
Thus these 24,000 people owned \$21,500,000,000, or more, at that time, that one-half of the national wealth of the United States.

Staggering as are these figures, the work of creating multiplying millions of millionaires goes on, and to-day the people are confronted with a bill proposing to levy \$100 taxes and \$200 taxes and \$300 taxes on a hundred dollars' worth of the necessities of life—not to raise revenue and pay the debts of the Government, but to raise revenue for the private pockets of a favored class, and to an amount estimated at nearly \$2,000,000,000 a year.

Now, Mr. President, what is all this for? The building up of great fortunes, this enormous fund creating and multiplying millionaires? Have we not been witnessing for the last few years a thing that must be humiliating to every lover of the institutions of this country? Have we not seen the daughters of the millionaires, endowed with money, being taken from the pockets of the forgotten taxpayers of this country, shipped to Europe like fatted heifers and peddled for titles? What a spectacle to see American women exported and sold like so many carcasses of mutton or fresh beef for titles forbidden by the Constitution of their country to be worn within its jurisdiction—titles to be at deadly enmity with its institutions. And yet we are constantly beholding it.

Of what moment was it that the Fathers of the Republic, bearing the wounds and the bloodstains of the Revolution, fought to secure their liberty and the liberty of their posterity? Of what use was it for them to declare that titles of nobility should not be conferred in this country? It was natural that they should do so. It was the democracy of a free government that they were creating—a free, popular government, whose whole power came from the governed. It was a government of the governed, self-government, a free government; and there was no place in their system for titles and titled classes. And yet we see as soon as these people get their inordinate wealth their daughters are shipped over to Europe and put on the market, hawked and peddled and sold with American money to become princesses and duchesses and countesses and marchionesses, and we are here levying upon the pockets of the poor laboring people \$200 and \$300 and \$400 to enable this girl to make the trip.

If we are in favor of equal taxation and of equal just laws, why should we not require the protected industries of the country, into whose pockets we pour this enormous bounty, to contribute money enough at least to support the Government? That does it. Five per cent on \$20,000,000 would support the Government and give you nearly \$500,000,000. While we are creating this enormous fund, nearly two billion and three hundred millions dollars, of pure bounty, we can we not ask these gentlemen kindly and condescendingly to contribute to a taxation of just 5 per cent instead of 100 or 150 per cent?

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And he stoops and starts and sighs
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A SCORCHER IN MID-SUMMER, SWELL, LATEST MODES

Waists, Suits, Skirts, Wrappers.

Waists—Fancy Percales—excellent gathering in both light and dark colors—detachable collar and double pointed yokes, regular dollar waists; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **48c**

Organdie—Waists in ultra choice foulard effects—very last styles, detachable collars and cuffs, regular price \$1.25; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **75c**

Zephyr—Gingham in nobles (that) remind some of the Highlands and the Heather, chic checks, double-pointed yokes, pleated back, detachable collar and stock collar; regular price \$1.50; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **95c**

Ladies' Suits—These goods have been ruthlessly cut—reduced in price below actual cost of materials—all this season's stock, top-notch styles, newest designs, latest fabrics—regular 10 to 12 dollar suits, all-wool fancy mixtures, coat silk lined and worth \$3.35; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **\$3.35**

\$8 Fly-Front Suits—Fine Cheviot, new shades, coat silk lined, **Friday**..... **\$3.98**

The New "Elmore"—Fine imported all-wool strap seams of solid cloth, checks, with coat and tailor made—regular \$5.95; **Friday**..... **\$5.95**

Skirts—In stylish checks of all shades and figured Brillantines, full sweep, velvet faced, worth double; **Friday**..... **\$1.15**

FAST Black Mohair Brocade, finished seams, lined and interlined, new, pretty patterns; regular price \$3.00; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **\$1.69**

ALL-WOOL Fancy Checks in all the new and elegant color combinations, percale lined, interlined and faced; regular price \$2.95; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **\$2.95**

Wrappers—China and Indigo Blue, neatly trimmed with braid and worth \$1.00; **Friday**..... **59c**

Extra quality Percale, with Eton effect of ruffling, cord edged, back strap and separate waistband; **Removal Sale Price Friday**..... **98c**

Novelty Wrappers—Unusual styles, far more attractive—Lace trimmed, elaborately embroidered—lovely Lawns, all-wool fancy mixtures, Gingham, satin, etc., worth to \$8.50; choice **Friday**..... **\$1.50**

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Infants' Caps—The cutest and prettiest all of 75c, **Friday**, each..... **49c**

Sailors for Ladies, in black, white or blue, with fine silk band—you'd say 75c—each, **Friday**..... **49c**

Trimmed Hats—All our regular hats go **Friday** at, each..... **98c**

All our regular \$3.50 quality Trimmed Hats go **Friday** at, each..... **\$1.49**

Untrimmed Hats—60 dozen of assorted styles, worth up to 98c, your choice **Friday** at..... **10c**

Ribbons—Fancy stripes and patterns in all-silk Taffeta and Moire—really worth 40c—**Friday**..... **22c**

Flowers—Most beautiful assortment, worth 40c, **Friday**, per bunch..... **19c**

Wreaths—24 inches long—all colors most suitable for decorative Children's Chamber and Summer Room. Regular price 50c; **Removal Sale Price**, each..... **10c**

Children's

Hose—Of Fast Black, 1x1 Ribbed Cotton—size 8 to 9, worth 40c; **Friday**..... **4c**

Ladies' Mitts.

Silk Mitts in black only—regular 25c; **Removal Sale Price**..... **5c**

Nainsook.

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FUGITIVES FROM THE HEAT.

The Movements and Amusements of
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ity Fair.

The fifty-fourth annual commencement at St. Vincent's Seminary occurred at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the school building on Grand and Locust avenues. The hall in which the exercises took place was prettily decked with June roses, groups of palms and colored bunting, and big silken flags were draped over the stage and the doorways.

The graduates, Misses Louise Furling, Alice Gorry, Katherine Coughlin, Gertrude Brewer and Annie Connor wore pure white gowns of Swiss organdy and carried flower bouquets of white neptunos roses. The entrance march arranged for four Misses Laura Garsche, Mary Boyce, Gertrude Hutchinson, Mary Kelly, Bertha Stille, Cora Miller and the following:

This was followed by a well-executed piano quartette rendition of Melotte's "Gulliville Tell" by Misses Katherine Coughlin, Cora Connor, Alice Gorry and Annie Connor. The remainder of the programme included vocal, violin, piano and mandolin solos, vocal choruses, recitations, speeches and addresses and the following young ladies, assisted by the school: Misses Ave Golden, Marie Staud, Catherine Bain, Josephine Chio, Bertha Lott, Mary Ferguson, Agnes Ashford, Adelaide Garsche and Louise Furling.

The exercises concluded with the awarding of medals and the reading of the valedictory by Miss Louise Furling. Miss Rosalie Balmer Smith, whose musical genius has recently brought her prominently before the eyes of the public, has been sent as a representative of the St. Louis Musical Convention, which begins to-day and concludes about the middle of next week. Miss Smith will remain at Pette Springs for two or three weeks, then go to New York to play by special request at the National Musical Convention. She will be joined there by her mother, Mrs. Thad Smith, and her sister, Misses Thad Smith and Rosalie Smith, who will accompany her to one of the Long Island summer resorts to spend the summer.

Mrs. Mary Noller will chaperone a party of ladies during a trip through California and the West. The party will include Misses Bertha Burroughs, Miss Wilson and Miss John Egan, leave on July 1, and return on Oct. 1. They will visit Coronado, Beach, San Francisco, Oakland, Sacramento, Carson City, New Mexico and various other points of interest.

The St. Louis Law School will hold their annual commencement exercises at 8 o'clock this evening at the Fourteenth Street theater. As a great number of cards have been issued there will not doubt be a packed house.

The ladies of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church gave a lawn party last evening at the old Glasgow hotel, on Garrison and Sheridan avenues. The extensive grounds were prettily illuminated and a platform for dancing was erected near the house. Refreshments were served from dainty little tables by the members of the Young Ladies' Guild.

Mr. Leigh Wickham's country place, "Summer Place," near Kinloch, has been the scene of quite a number of jolly little house parties in the past few days. A party of about twenty people, including a small party of town folk who are leaving for "Summer Place" to stay over Sunday, the Wickham place is one of the most beautiful in the country. It is situated on a hillside, and is surrounded by a large garden of roses, and is a most beautiful place to spend the summer.

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Mr. John French is visiting here from New York. Miss Lela Heuemburg has returned from Edwardsburg, Ill. Dr. and Mrs. A. Huntington of New York are visiting in this city. Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Millard left a few days ago for Lake Michigan. Mr. Clarence Wallace of New York is a guest at the St. Nicholas. Mr. Vion Papin has departed for Indian Territory to remain "during the heated term."

Umbrellas.
Ladies' 25-inch English Gloria Umbrellas, natural wood and Dresden handles; while they last Friday at 45c.

Lining.
Come quick before it is too late—the last lot of kid finished Cambric will be put on sale Friday and Saturday at 1c.

Boys' Waists.
100 dozen Boys' Blouse Waists, made of percale, lawn and grass linen, the cheapest in the lot worth 75c; choice Friday and Saturday at 39c.

Silesias.
Choice of our finest grade Silesias, some fancy, some plain; slightly soiled; Friday, while it lasts, at 3c.

Collars.
A large assortment Ladies' 4-ply Linen Collars, very latest styles, in all sizes, regular price 25c each; while they last at 10c.

Fans.
Ladies' Colored Japanese Paper Fans, neatly decorated with lace sticks and brocade; never sold under 15c; Friday and Saturday at 5c.

Drawers.
Children's Muslin Drawers, with deep hem and elastic; while they last Friday and Saturday at 12c.

WASH GOODS.

2500 yards 25-inch Plain Organdy, in mill lengths (3 to 10 yards), sold regularly at \$1.30 a yard; Friday and Saturday at 45c.

CORSETS.

St. Louis Corset Co.'s Fine Stock at HALF! Ventilating Corsets! Summer Corsets! All kinds of Corsets! In Black, White, Buff and Drab—all sizes.

Basement Bargains.

AWNING STRIPES—In all colors, 10c.

Remnants—LORD SHIRT.

Waist and Dress Lengths, in all classes of goods, Friday while they last at one-third their real value.

Handkerchiefs.

Another lot of Barcas. This is one of the results of lucky buying! Prices hold good for Friday and Saturday.

Window Shades.

Old and Ends of Fine Shades, worth up to 90c each; choice Friday at 18c.

Brussels Carpets.

All in the latest colorings, worth 50c a yard; here at 47c.

Shirting Cheviot.

In perfect condition, 50c.

Unbleached Sheets.

Remnants—Of print, from 4 to 8-quarter—perfect condition; sold regularly at 10c a yard; Friday and Saturday at 11c.

Table Oil Cloth.

A mixed lot of Plain and Fancy Colored Table Oil Cloth, sold regularly in Broadway stores at 40c a yard; Friday and Saturday at 10c.

Skirts at 69c.

600 Duck Skirts, all colors, some plain, some striped, some with dots and stripes, with good deep hem, always at \$1.25; while they last 69c.

Hosiery Bargains.

Children's Cotton Ribbed Black Hose, all sizes, regular price 10c a pair; Friday and Saturday at 4c.

Men's Furnishings.

Men's Hairbrush Underwear and Drawers, worth 25c per garment; Friday and Saturday at 19c.

Big Men's Pants.

Flannel Coats and Vests at 84c. Mohair Coats and Vests at 83c. Drap d'Ete Coats and Vests at 85c. Serge Coats and Vests at 86c.

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THEY ALL WONDER HOW WE DO IT!

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FREE LEMONADE TO ALL FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

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Friday and Saturday for a mixed lot of Ladies' Fancy Dress Waists, of Organdy, Dimity and Lawn, some lace trimmed, made with soft collars and built, some with collars and built, sold last year at \$1.75 each.

Remnants—LORD SHIRT.

Waist and Dress Lengths, in all classes of goods, Friday while they last at one-third their real value.

Jewelry Snaps.

An assorted lot of Ladies' Side Combs, gilt and silver mounted, some plain, sold regularly at 25c a pair; Friday and Saturday at 9c.

Skirts at 69c.

600 Duck Skirts, all colors, some plain, some striped, some with dots and stripes, with good deep hem, always at \$1.25; while they last 69c.

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

Dry Catawba Wine, Kelley Island, 10 bars A. Moll Laundry Soap 25c. Mixed Pickles, picnic size, 5c. Sultana Fruit Crackers, 12c. Dessert Wafers, delicious, 14c. Graham Crackers, fresh baked, 8c. All kinds of Cheating Gum, 5c. Fresh Camels, 7c. Salt used for freezing ice cream, 10c. Gunpowder, Oolong, Young Hyson, Imperial, 25c. This week: 5 pounds for \$3.38.

SIX SOLICITORS FOR CITY TRADE.

WRITE FOR CATALOGUE.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Boccaccio" is a bright and tuneful opera, admirably adapted to the talents of the company at Koerner's Park, therefore the performances there this week are giving great satisfaction to the patrons of the place. Miss Salinger has the title role and she fills it as snugly as she fills the doublet and hose of the gay young Florentine. Miss Meyers, Miss Donaldson and Miss Knott all have congenial parts and are doing creditable work and Mr. Bassett, Mr. Gaillard and Mr. Lodge are acquiring new laurels at each performance. The chorus shows its shapely proportions to excellent advantage. The bill at Forest Park Highlands this week is a notably strong one. Carroll Johnson is the leading attraction. He invests his work with a grace and originality that put him in the front rank of vaudeville entertainers. "Carmen," as presented by the Boston Lyric Stock Co., is pleasing the patrons of Uhlrig's Cave. Payne Clark alternates with Mr. Temple in the role of Don Jose. He sings the part well. Immense crowds visit the Suburban Garden every night. Pauline Hall is the leading feature and does an interesting bit of work. Eera Kendall has an entirely new budget of witticisms. Miss Hall and Mr. Kendall will remain at the Suburban next week. Jennie and Arthur Dunn will be the principal new features. Beauty and coolness are two attractive features at Boyton Garden, where you shoot the chutes. The vaudeville performance is pleasing. Schaar, the trick rider, Baker and Earnhart, the Electric Comedy Four, Frank Reis and Mueller and Borgelt are features. Great preparations are under way for Press Club night at Uhlrig's Cave. As a complement to the club, the Boston Lyric Company will put on "The Chimes of Normandy" next Tuesday evening. The newspaper men of the city are bestirring themselves to make their evening a success and Manager Jaxon of the Boston Lyric Company promises to put his best talent into the cause. Mayors Ziegenhein and other prominent city officials have already engaged boxes and it is stated that Gov. Stephens may also attend. A reception committee of eleven will welcome the friends of the club and there will be special newspaper features interspersed through the performance.

"THEY BRING OUT THE CURVES."



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SEALED PROPOSALS.

OFFICE of Constructing, Quartermaster, Jefferson Barracks, Mo., June 14, 1897.—Sealed proposals will be received here until 12 o'clock, noon, July 1, 1897, and will be opened for construction purposes. Plans and specifications will be furnished upon application to the Engineer, who will also furnish information and specifications. Proposals and specifications must be accompanied by a cash deposit of \$10,000, which will be returned to the proposer if the proposal is not accepted, or if accepted, it will be used as a guarantee for the completion of the work. The successful proposer will be required to execute a contract within ten days of the opening of the proposals. The Engineer's office is at the Quartermaster's office, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

POND'S EXTRACT



THE FAITHFUL HELM

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES UP-TO-DATE.

MILNER SHORN OF HIS POWER.

LAWYERS DECLARE THE WITTENBERG BILL ILLEGAL.

IT WILL BE SIGNED SATURDAY.

The Street Commissioner's Authority Transferred Bodily to the Mayor's Office.

"I have not seen the Wittenberg bill," said Street Commissioner Milner to a Post-Dispatch reporter, Thursday, "and hence can say little concerning its provisions." And yet this is a measure designed wholly and exclusively to deprive the Street Commissioner of his patronage, and place it in possession of the Mayor for the benefit of Mayor Ziegenhain's workers.

The failure of Mr. Milner to discover and examine the bill, only emphasizes the curious manner in which a public document has been hidden from the public eye. It also serves as a reminder of the condition of affairs prevailing generally at the City Hall in connection with all public documents.

The Wittenberg bill passed the Council Tuesday night. Wednesday afternoon Secretary Graves said it was in possession of the House, to be enrolled. Clerk Martin of the House said he had loaned it to a clerk in the Register's office to be copied in advance of its enrollment and approval. The Register's office denied all knowledge of the bill's whereabouts.

"No," said Mr. Milner, "I have not seen the measure, though of course, I have heard rumors as to its provisions." "How far do you distrust your patronage and power?" was asked.

"If I hear I hear, it leaves me only my office force of engineers, draftsmen and clerks."

"Will you be required to certify to the pay roll, as now?"

"If the pay roll must come to me for certification, the only appointment made by the bill is a bonded officer, responsible to the people for the conduct of this department. Under the existing law, the Mayor appoints and removes officers, but also that the work so performed, and the employees of that number of persons, was necessary."

"How could I not certify under the Wittenberg bill if all the appointments are made by the Mayor and the four District Superintendents?"

"The Charter provides that the Street Commissioner shall have supervision of all street repairs and construction, and in order to do this he ought certainly to know something of the ability and reliability of those in the employ of this department. Deprived of such knowledge, he might find himself in a predicament as a bonded officer. I do not care so much for the loss of patronage as for the responsibility without the power."

Thursday morning Clerk Martin of the House of Delegates sent down to the Register's office for the bill, and it was submitted for examination by a Post-Dispatch reporter.

The bill is now under process of enrollment. It will be signed by the Mayor and Clerk of the House and by the President and Secretary of the Council on Saturday. It will then remain in the Mayor's office for instant approval, becoming a law next Monday.

Its provisions divest the Street Commissioner of all authority and make his position almost completely meaningless for general results.

The appointments which will not fall to his share comprise merely his office force, as follows:

One secretary, \$150 a month, with bond of \$5,000, to be approved by the Mayor.
One principal bookkeeper, \$150 a month, with bond of \$5,000.
One principal clerk, \$75 a month.
One stenographer, \$75 a month.
One principal draughtsman, \$100 a month.
Two draughtsmen of first class, \$100 a month.
One messenger, \$25.
One engineer of surveys, \$1,800 a year, with bond of \$5,000.
Two surveyors, \$100 a month.
One draughtsman on grade and surveys, \$100 a month.
One First Deputy, \$2,500 a year, with bond of \$10,000.
One District Engineer of the Bridge Department, \$1,500 a year, with bond of \$5,000.
One first-class draughtsman, \$100 a month.
Six rodmen, \$60 a month.
Three field hands, \$30 a month.
One General Superintendent of Street Construction, \$2,400 a year, with bond of \$10,000.
One Superintendent of Maps and Indexes, \$125 a month.

But the Mayor's power is tremendous. He has the following appointments:

One Assistant Commissioner, \$2,500 a year, with bond of \$10,000, to be Commissioner in the absence, sickness or inability of the Commissioner.
FOUR BOXES DIP IT.

Remarkable Success of a New Pile Cure.

EVERYBODY CAN'T TAKE IT EASY!

Even with the thermometer at 98, but life will be a good deal better worth living if you save about a third of what you'd usually pay for these goods.

In Barr's Modern Cloak and Suit Dept.

Friday Bargains are world-beaters and will fill this department with eager buyers. Sale from 8 a. m. till 6 p. m. Come and be one of the lucky purchasers.

Bargain No. 1.

Ladies' Bicycle Skirts, material of splendid quality Irish Crash, a perfect cycling skirt, actual value \$2.00; as long as they last Friday at..... **98¢**

Bargain No. 2.

Ladies' Denim Skirts, tailor-made seams, 5-inch hem, just what you want for this hot weather; they come in grays, browns and tan, a real good value at \$1.50, but they go on sale Friday for only..... **95¢**

Bargain No. 3.

Ladies' Stylish 2-piece Suits, material fine organdies and lawns, choice selected patterns, yoke back and front and cuffs neatly trimmed with satin, white linen detachable collar, good full skirt, with hem, sizes 32 to 44 bust measure, worth \$3.75, for..... **\$2.25**

Wrappers—A Great Sale Friday.

All our pretty Children's Dresses have been reduced for quick selling. There'll be wonderful bargains here Friday.

NOTIONS. Summer and the

MILLINERY. Isn't the price overwhelming? Only 19¢! It would be if

bargains weren't always so plentiful at Barr's.

200 doz Short-back Sailor Hats, in

Jap and Venetian braids, all colors; for Friday (each)..... **19¢**

Summer Price Cutting In

Tinware.

3 qt Tin Covered Bucket, reduced from 10¢ to..... **3¢**

1 pint Tin Cups, reduced from 5¢ to..... **1¢**

Surprise Egg Beaters, reduced from 10¢ to..... **1¢**

Silver Fruit Press, reduced from 25¢ to..... **15¢**

9 and 10-inch Deep and Shallow Pie Plates, reduced from 10¢ to..... **1¢**

Large size Tin Soap Pans, reduced from 10¢ to..... **3¢**

3 qt size Pieced Tin Sauce Pans, reduced from 15¢ to..... **5¢**

No. 7 size Copper Bottom Wash Boilers, reduced from 75¢ to..... **37¢**

Tin Ovens, for 1-burner Oil Stoves, reduced from 95¢ to..... **63¢**

1000 doz 4-qt White Enamelled Steel Sauce Pans, reduced from 50¢ to..... **7¢**

Summer Price Cutting In

Paints, Sponges, Etc., Etc.

Barr's Double-Lasting House and Floor Paints, any color, quart size, reduced from 19¢ to..... **14¢**

Boss Furniture Polish, large bottle, reduced from 25¢ to..... **19¢**

Large size Household Sponge, reduced from 25¢ to..... **7¢**

Large size Chamois, reduced from 35¢ to..... **19¢**

Genuine Tampico Counter Brushes, reduced from 25¢ to..... **12¢**

Very strong Scrubbing Brush reduced from 25¢ to..... **10¢**

8-Strap Parlor Brooms, reduced from 25¢ to..... **9¢**

Self-Wringing Floor Mop, complete, reduced from 25¢ to..... **17¢**

10-inch Turkey Feather Dusters, reduced from 25¢ to..... **9¢**

Summer Price Cutting In

Gas and Oil Stoves and Ranges

This cut shows the famous RED STOCKING GAS STOVE, with 2 top burners and 1 double burner for oven and Russia iron oven, reduced from \$7.50 to..... **\$3.95**

2-burner Gem Nickel-plated Gas Stove, reduced from \$3.50 to..... **\$1.95**

The Brooklyn Gas Range, with 2 top burners and 1 oven and warming closet, reduced from \$6.75 to..... **\$4.95**

1-burner Oil Stoves, brightest and best, reduced from 50¢ to..... **29¢**

SAYS HE'S A BIGAMIST.

Mrs. Hubert Deserted by Her Husband After Thirty Years.

Mrs. Mathilda Hubert applied for a warrant Thursday charging her husband, John Hubert, with bigamy.

After thirty years of married life, she says, he deserted her three years ago and went to Memphis. Since then she has been residing with her two grown sons at 3327 North Broadway.

Three weeks ago Hubert returned from Memphis and was seen on the street by one of his sons. The next day Mrs. Hubert made an appointment to see her husband and on the following day he came to her home. He told her he was not married.

Monday, Mrs. Hubert says, her husband was married to Melinda Evans by a Justice of the Peace at Broadway and Biddle street, and they have since been living in her household on the river's edge in "Little Oklahoma" at the foot of Desrehan street.

Mrs. Hubert says that when she called on Melinda Evans the woman laughed at her.

Col. Johnson told Mrs. Hubert to procure witnesses and he would issue a warrant charging Hubert with bigamy.

FOR GREEN'S PROPERTIES.

Capitalist Barr May Invoke the Aid of the Federal Courts.

Messrs. Thomas Barr and F. W. Roehling, the Eastern capitalists who wish to buy the People's Railway and the Fourth Street and Arsenal Railway, in the interest of Receiver Charles Green, may not give up their fight even though they have been ousted out of the reorganization deal entered into by the bondholders.

They have one recourse left; an appeal to the Federal Court.

It is rumored Thursday that they were prepared to ask the Federal Court to interfere with the sale, which is set for next Saturday. A number of prominent attorneys were mentioned as having drawn up the petition, but all of those named denied that they were connected with the case.

The bondholders say the Federal Court should not be asked to interfere and would not interfere under the circumstances.

They threatened to have Receiver Green ousted if a suit in his interest is filed in the Federal Court.

THE LAMP EXPLODED.

Burned the Picture of Mrs. Howard's Deceased Husband.

A coal oil lamp exploded in the bedroom of Mrs. Ann Howard, 819 St. Ferdinand street, at 11:45 o'clock Wednesday night.

Mrs. Howard is a widow. The lamp was sitting on a stand under a large picture of her husband. The flames from the blazing lamp reached up and ignited the painted canvas, and in a few minutes the room was filled with smoke and the room was ablaze.

The fire was extinguished by the fire department, but the picture was completely destroyed.

Contracts for Park Concerts.

The park concerts contract has been let to J. H. Bromley, Charles Voltrath, Oscar Mark, Antonio Bafano, Fred Fischer, J. Lampert, W. Well and Henry Wilkes in the name of the J. H. Bromley & Co.

With the exception of Williams each band will give five concerts, and the J. H. Bromley & Co. will give ten.

Patrick McGraw of Allentown, Pa., is at the head of the band.

Williams is the leader of the colored band which will appear at each park except Forest.

Chosen Friends' Picnic.

The Order of Chosen Friends will hold its annual outing at Forest Park Highlands Saturday from 3 p. m. until midnight.

Barbecue, regular amusements, features of the Highlands there will be races, cake walks and other diversions. The members of the order will be invited to bring their families and friends, in part or in whole, of any of the order, and in this charter to another or others, etc.

City Counselor Marshall once held that a transfer of powers and duties could be made.

EVERYBODY CAN'T TAKE IT EASY!

Even with the thermometer at 98, but life will be a good deal better worth living if you save about a third of what you'd usually pay for these goods.

In Upholstery Section

This is a golden opportunity for housekeepers.

Window Shades, all colors, with French embroidered lace trimmings, reduced from 50¢ to \$1. at

Lot Chenille Table Covers, all colors, reduced from 50¢ to \$1. at

Lot Figured Japanese Table Covers, large sizes, washable, reduced from \$1.50 to (each)..... **95¢**

Rope Portieres, all colors, the \$3.50 quality, each..... **\$1.75**

Chenille Portieres, all colors the \$4.50 quality..... **\$1.95**

English Cretonnes, reversible, fast colors..... **25¢**

China Drapery Silks, new shades..... **42¢**

Plain Denims, heavy quality, reduced from 25¢ to (yard)..... **17¢**

SILKS. Such Silk selling as we've done the earlier part of the week is bound to make lots of "remnants," those delightful bargains that every woman finds a limitless use for.

We are going to make Friday a memorable remnant day and insure the closing out of every yard, if low prices will do it.

There's hundreds of these remnants.

Specials for Friday are—

27-inch Changeable Taffeta Glace..... **69¢**

24-inch Silk Grenadines, floral designs, plaids and stripes, goods cost \$1.50 to \$2..... **39¢, 49¢ and 59¢**

19-inch Fancy Taffeta Silks, good line of colors, worth 60¢..... **29¢**

Corsets.

Friday's Corset special is one of the perfectly shaped Corsets that you like, and at a wonderfully low price.

J. B. Corsets—

\$1.00 for..... **50¢**

\$1.25 for..... **75¢**

Summer Price Cutting In

Glassware.

Mason's Patent Fruit Jars, 1-qt (to dozen)..... **45¢**

4000 doz finest quality Thin Blown Table Tumblers, reduced from \$1 doz to (dozen)..... **23¢**

One-third pint size Jelly Glasses, with tin covers, reduced from 35¢ doz to (dozen)..... **19¢**

1000 doz Rich Imitation Cut Glass Berry Bowls, 7 and 8-in size, reduced from 50¢ to (each)..... **15¢**

Beautiful Imitation Cut Glass Vase Pitchers, 2-gal size, reduced from \$1 to..... **45¢**

Fine Imitation Cut Glass Virginia Pattern Vase Tumblers, reduced from \$1 dozen to (dozen)..... **49¢**

500 doz Imitation Cut Glass Fruit Saucers, 4-in size, reduced from 10¢ to (each)..... **5¢**

Summer Price Cutting In

Silverware Dept.

1000 doz Rogers' Fish Knives, reduced from \$2.50 to..... **95¢**

500 doz Rogers' Dessert Spoons, triple-plate, reduced from \$5.50 dozen to (dozen)..... **\$2.50**

500 doz Rogers' Dessert Forks, triple-plate, reduced from \$5.50 doz to (dozen)..... **\$2.50**

100 doz Rogers' After-Dinner Coffee Spoons, reduced from \$3 to (dozen)..... **95¢**

200 doz Rogers' 1847 Fruit Knives, reduced from 50¢ to (each)..... **15¢**

25 doz fine quality Quadruple-plated Butter Dishes, reduced from \$2.35 to..... **99¢**

10 doz new Plated Berry Bowls, rich imitation cut glass, reduced from \$5 to..... **\$1.95**

10 doz Beautiful Quadruple-plated Fern Dishes, reduced from \$2.85 to..... **\$2.19**

Summer Price Cutting In

Third Floor.

3-ft Lawn Seetees, painted red, all hardwood, reduced from 95¢ to..... **49¢**

5-ft Lawn Seetees, painted red, all hardwood, reduced from \$1.25 to..... **69¢**

Odd Lot of Boys' and Misses' Bicycles, reduced from \$15, \$25 and \$35 to..... **\$5.00**

Full size Iron Beds, with brass trimmings, reduced from \$5 to..... **\$2.69**

Fine new shape Rattan Baby Carriages, with plush upholstery and satin parasol, reduced from \$15 to..... **\$9.95**

Barr's Indestructible Canvas-covered Ladies' Dress Trunk, large size, reduced from \$7.50 to..... **\$4.95**

The Washable Adjustable Window Screens, reduced from 40¢ to..... **19¢**

THE GREATEST REDUCTION SALE IN ST. LOUIS!

Where One Dollar Takes the Place of Two Dollars.

MILLINERY! 806 North Broadway, Opposite Famous.

On our Bargain tables, all our Trimmed Hats and Short Black Suits, some were \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00, to close out..... **49¢**

500 Ladies' and Misses' Straw Hats, in black, and colors, some worth up to 75¢..... **3¢**

Odd lot of Brown, tan, worth 50¢ and up to \$1.25, to close out, a lot..... **1¢**

95c London Broad Brim, worth \$1.50, to close out..... **25¢**

fancy mixed straw..... **9c, 15c, 23c.**

Crash Skirts, very wide, with deep hem, regular \$1.50 Skirt for..... **89¢**

Ladies' Laundered Waists, in all colors, worth 50¢ to \$1.25, for..... **25¢**

All styles of Ladies' Linen Collars, worth \$1.00 to \$1.50, for..... **9c**

30 samples Silk Waists, in the new colors, worth \$2.00 to \$2.50, to close..... **\$1.49**

VISITORS IN THE CITY.

F. T. Wiegler of Chicago is at the Lindell.

Albert Gage of Chicago is at the Southern.

M. E. Taylor of Pittsburgh is at the Laclede.

George A. Hall of New York is at the Lindell.

J. D. Gillett of New York is at the Southern.

A. Leonard of Philadelphia is at the Laclede.

C. J. Johnson of New York is at the Lindell.

M. L. Sears of Kansas City is at the Lindell.

G. M. Payne of Kansas City is at the Lindell.

J. S. Thompson of Baltimore is at the Lindell.

H. H. Dorey of New Orleans is at the Lindell.

A. K. Morgan of Chicago is at the St. Nicholas.

James P. Harvey of Chicago is at the St. James.

Frank J. Smith of Dallas, Tex., is at the Southern.

A. Warfield of Kansas City is at the Southern.

J. R. Evans of Fort Wayne, Ind., is at the Lindell.

E. W. Alabach of Des Moines is at the Lindell.

W. W. Heritage of Philadelphia is at the Southern.

G. M. Morris of New York is at the St. Nicholas.

C. C. Randal of Springfield, Ark., is at the St. James.

W. W. Leads of Memphis, Tenn., is at the St. James.

J. R. Shackelford of Clay City, Mo., is at the Lindell.

F. P. Booth of Guaymas, Mexico, is at the Lindell.

Julius O. M. Spencer of St. Joseph is at the Southern.

R. S. Pearson of Howard, S. D., is at the Lindell.

A. A. Sparks of New York is at the St. Nicholas.

Horace P. Deacon of Philadelphia is at the St. Nicholas.

N. B. Blakemore of New York is at the St. Nicholas.

J. H. Beacham of Little Rock, Ark., is at the Lindell.

O. D. Struthers of South McAllister, L. T., is at the Lindell.

Patrick McGraw of Allentown, Pa., is at the Lindell.

William Longmire and wife of Paris, Tex., are at the Lindell.

Senator C. H. Vandiver of Lafayette County is registered at the Laclede.

C. C. Bell of Louisville, the apple king of Central Missouri, is at the Laclede.

W. A. Conrad, wife and child, of Kallispell, Mont., are registered at the Southern.

S. C. Crane of St. Joseph, General Superintendent of the Burlington line in Missouri, is at the Southern.

Col. John T. Crisp, member of the Legislature from Jackson County, is at St. Louis visitor. Cr

HARD TASK TO GET THE TAX.

7,000 UNLICENSED WHEELMEN RIDING THROUGH STREETS.

ARRESTS CANNOT BE MADE.

Commissioner Kalbfell Realizes His Plans Are Futile and Will Ask for an Amending Ordinance.

There is real trouble ahead for bicycle riders. License Commissioner Kalbfell, after waiting patiently a couple of weeks for the wheelmen to pay their dollars, will do the next act. The first of next week he will send out a swarm of inspectors to round up the delinquents.

Every wheel which does not bear Mr. Kalbfell's little aluminum tag on the head post will be relentlessly pursued. If overtaken, which is somewhat doubtful, the name and address of the rider will be secured. A police summons will then be issued and the rider who tried to save a dollar will not only have to fork it over, but pay a fine for his attempted evasion and a lot of costs.

That is to be the procedure for the present. It is an unsatisfactory procedure because in order to escape the summons all the rider has to do is to give a fictitious name. There is no power for this, and the next time he is caught he can do the same thing.

Through an oversight the ordinance does not authorize the inspectors to make arrests or even call upon a policeman to do so.

This oversight will be corrected. An amending ordinance will be introduced in the Assembly giving the inspector the power to make arrests. After it passes, violators of the ordinance will be forced to push their unlicensed wheels to the police station like any other offender.

Mr. Kalbfell still insists that visiting wheelmen will have to pay the tax or submit to arrest. His rule has created consternation among the members of clubs in the surrounding towns, who have been told that they will have to pay the tax or be arrested.

It is probable that a test case will be made on this point. Mr. Kalbfell insists that if he makes any distinctions in favor of out-of-town riders, he will have an unlicensed wheel would claim to hail from the woods.

Less than 11,000 tags have been issued by the commissioner. It is believed that there are at least 7,000 riders who have not paid the dollar.

TO WHEEL OVER ENGLAND.

Will Papin and a College Chum Off for a Bicycle Tour.

William B. Papin of 2102 Washington avenue leaves Thursday evening for Detroit, where he will join an old college friend, A. J. Decharme. They go to New York and sail June 20 on the Britannic for Liverpool. They will take little baggage with them outside of their two bicycles for it is their intention to wheel over England.

"We haven't made any definite plans as yet," said Mr. Papin. "We intend to be governed by circumstances. We have plenty of time before us, as we will not return until the latter part of September. Arriving in Liverpool we will expect to find a number of our friends waiting to see us. We will then take our time about making our tour of England, and expect to visit all the larger cities and to wheel to all the places of interest. We will expect to find a number of our friends waiting to see us. We will then take our time about making our tour of England, and expect to visit all the larger cities and to wheel to all the places of interest.

Mr. Papin is an enthusiastic wheelman and has been riding since he was a boy. He is no racer or scorcher, but enjoys wheeling. His Detroit friend is the same kind of a rider, and the two will make an enjoyable trip and a cheap one, outside the steamship passage. They will not limit themselves as to the roads, and will take the trains where the roads are not good. Their passage on the Britannic has already been engaged.

MR. BRADY WILL FALL DEAD.

Corbett's Manager Has Asked a Price on the Browns.

The latest base ball story is that the St. Louis Browns are to be sold some more, and this time to W. A. Brady, the man who grew rich managing the affairs of Ex-Commissioner Corbett. While in Scranton, Pa., Wednesday night Brady said he had made an offer for the franchise of the St. Louis club, and was awaiting a reply from Mr. Von der Ahe. He further said that if he succeeded in getting the franchise, J. Corbett would be installed as manager, and would soon get a winning club for this city.

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CHALLENGERS

TO BE SWORN.

WILL HAVE TO TAKE THE OATH OF SECRECY.

NEW RULE FOR ELECTIONS.

Question of a Committee and the Commissioners' Decision.

At elections held in St. Louis in the future party challenges will be compelled to take an oath of secrecy as well as the judges and clerks.

The point that brought about this decision by the Board of Election Commissioners was raised by C. P. Connolly, who was appointed on a committee to investigate certain alleged irregularities in the Twenty-second Ward at the recent majority election.

He informed the Board that one of the witnesses—a Democratic challenger—hesitated to reply until assured he was at liberty to do so.

The Board of Election Commissioners, in an opinion rendered Thursday, say: If a challenger be required to take an oath, such as is required of judges and clerks of election, then he would be undoubtedly prohibited from disclosing the name of any candidate for whom an elector voted. Such oath has not been required of challengers, or at least was not required at the last two elections in St. Louis. Therefore, perhaps, they are not legally bound to secrecy, and could not be prosecuted under the law if they should disclose the names of the candidates for whom they voted.

But they are certainly morally bound not to disclose such facts. If this were not true, then a challenge to the election of being an additional safeguard against fraud and wrongdoing, would prove simply a spy.

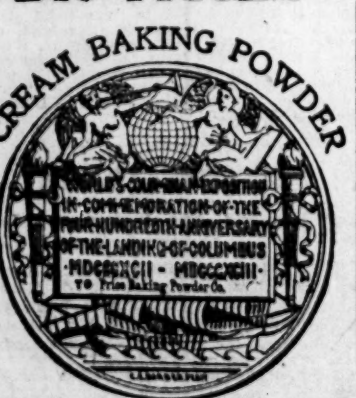
It is the opinion of this Board that challengers should be required to take the same oath of secrecy as is required of judges and clerks, or employees in the Election Commissioners' office and of every other election officer or person who has anything to do with the conduct of election.

The Election Commissioners will undoubtedly under the law authorizing them to adopt certain rules and regulations for the proper conduct of elections, require challengers at the next election to subscribe to an oath of secrecy; and will instruct the election judges to permit any man to enter an election booth as challenger until he has subscribed to such oath, which blank forms will be furnished.

Congratulations for Col. Carpenter.

Officers at the army post at Jefferson Barracks have sent a message of congratulation to Lieut.-Col. L. H. Carpenter of the Seventh Cavalry at Fort Leavenworth, expressing their gratification at his promotion, which is the direct result of his gallant service to Brigadier-General of the Third Cavalry, Col. Carpenter is popular with all the officers at the post here.

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DIVORCE SUITS

TOO NUMEROUS.

TWO JUDGES SET THEIR FACES AGAINST THEM.

JUDGE TALTY EXPLAINS WHY.

People Rush Into Matrimony Without Consideration and Want to Rush Out as Lightly.

Judge John A. Talty and Judge Selden P. Spencer have, since their election as judges of the Circuit Court, refused to grant divorces to many persons who thought they had ample grounds under the statutes for a legal separation. Both these judges, and especially Judge Talty, believe that family dissensions are not grounds per se for divorce. Judge Talty wants to know the wherefore of these differences and who is to blame for them.

When inquired into an interview on the subject Judge Talty showed some reticence. He did not at first realize that he was being interviewed, and spoke rather feelingly on the question.

"I say this, without a breach of propriety, that I propose to make people understand that they must not get married with the impression that if they don't like it all they will have to do is to apply for a divorce. That attitude toward the most sacred contract in life is wrong, almost criminal in fact, and should be discouraged in every way."

Without assuming the position of a pessimist, which I am not, I must confess that there are many marriages contracted where neither of the contracting parties realizes or appreciates the solemnity and the step they are taking. After awhile they look upon each other and drift wider and wider apart, instead of seeking to make mutual concessions, which would in time make their home a happy one.

"This is a very bad subject for a judge to discuss in view of the fact that he will be called upon to decide divorce cases from day to day, and I do not desire that it shall be understood that I have made up my mind in advance as to how I will decide all cases that may come before me. I can lay down the general proposition, however, that marriage is a sacred relationship not to be trifled with on slight provocation, and that both common sense and decency should be observed by those entering that state."

At the Court House the only departments that have not felt the effect of the general summer depression are the marriage and divorce bureaus.

Downstairs in the marriage license office Clerk Charles Bihlartz is daily issuing scores of licenses to couples who are happy and contented.

The divorce business has reached that point in the circuit clerk's office Clerk Charles Jeffries is daily recording suits for divorce filed by those who have experienced and failed.

The divorce business is almost as featureless. The couple enter the office, each answers a few questions, fill out a slip of paper, and that is the end of it as far as the legal requirements are concerned. The only thing that is unusual is the fact that a few couples, as a result of the divorce business, have much divorce business on hand all the time.

ENLARGEMENT OF THE SPLEEN.

Interesting Case Treated at the City Hospital.

Henry Miller's spleen has afforded City Hospital physicians an interesting study. The medical fraternity has long been puzzled as to the duties of this rather mysterious and independent organ, and it is comparatively recently that its functions have become better understood.

The normal spleen of man is oval and is about four inches long and two inches wide. It occupies a vertical position in the middle of the left side, and is independent of all other organs.

In Miller's case the spleen is something enormous. It is eighteen inches in length, and fills almost the entire left side. The heart, lungs and other organs are so cramped by the spleen's abnormal growth that they are hampered in their functions.

Dr. Otto Satter, the hospital superintendent, says the functions of the spleen are important. It is this organ that circulates the red blood corpuscles and while it is an independent organ, like the kidneys, detached from all other organs, it is a matter to treat it when once injured. There are cases on record in the hospital where the spleen has been removed and the patient lived, but they are rare.

Miller's laborer, 32 years of age, and lives at 128 Allen avenue. The enlargement of his spleen is due to malaria contracted in Texas. He had been in the hospital for some time, and had given him temporary relief but a permanent cure is impossible.

WEARS AN OVERCOAT IN JUNE.

St. Nicholas Hotel Footman Declines to Give Vent to Perspiration.

In this torrid weather, there is a man in St. Louis who wears a heavy overcoat under pattern. While the weather is heating upwards at a speed calculated to excite the envy of the Merchants' Exchange elevator, this man moves about in a highly dignified manner—his great coat buttoned closely from throat to toes.

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Strictly All-Wool—Suits—made of good, serviceable materials—well made—Suits—nicely trimmed—You Friday for \$4.65.

Men's Pants—Special.

Friday—Choice of 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Men's Fancy Wash Vests

At Half Price TO CLOSE THEM OUT.

White—Marcellite and Pique—also a lot of other styles—very cheap—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Workingmen, Attention!

Friday—500 Pairs of Blue Denim Apron Front Overalls—regular price 50c, for 25c.

Shoe Specials

For Bargain Friday.

CHILDREN'S Fine Ribbon Shoes—hand-sewed—spring heels—in black, brown, tan and blue—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

BOYS' Lace Shoes for Every Day Wear—strong and serviceable—coin toes, tipped—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Ladies' Gloves

At Pleasing Prices.

Ladies' Silk Mitts—white and black—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Children's Silk Mitts—in white, pink and blue—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Ladies' Silk Gloves—white and black—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

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BROADWAY AND MORGAN

FOR BARGAIN FRIDAY!

A Galaxy of Stirring, Startling Values That Will Exceed ALL Expectations.

A Great Sale of Ladies' Shirt Waists and Skirts.

Ladies' Waists. Percales and Lawns—laundry and dress—collars—light and dark patterns—Famous Price—48c.

Ladies' Waists. Percale, Lawn, Plaid and Vests—Waists—detachable collar and cuffs—worth up to \$2.25—98c.

Ladies' Skirts. Black figured Cashmere Dress Skirts—4 yards wide—percale lined—velvet bound—worth \$2.50—\$1.25.

Children's Dresses. Lot of odds and ends—wool serge and flannel—handing all sizes, worth up to \$2.50—98c.

Ladies' Skirts. White Pique or Linen Crash Skirts—4 yards wide—1-inch hem—all lengths—per 98c.

Ladies' Suits. Linen Crash Suits—Blazer or Eton Jackets, 4 yards wide—velvet bound—worth \$2.50—\$1.25.

Wrappers. Lawn and Percale—Wrappers—mourning, Indigo Blue and black—worth up to \$2.50—75c.

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY IN OUR

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

THAT CAP THE CLIMAX IN BARGAIN GIVING.

Boys' Long Pant Suits, Worth \$7.50 \$2.90.

Boys' Wash Suits. We offer you choice of hundreds of Boys' Wash Suits—all the newest styles—guaranteed to give splendid service—worth \$2.00 and \$1.50—Friday at the next to nothing price of 98c and 75c.

Boys' Knee Pant Suits. Neat and nobby styles—strictly all wool mixtures—light, dark and medium shades—elegantly trimmed—worth \$5 and \$6—Friday, choice of a big lot for \$3.15.

Boys' Fautleroy Waists and Blouses. Laundered and unlaundered—variety—latest styles—everywhere at 75c—Friday Special—39c.

Seasonable Basement Specials.

Peerless Ice Cream Freezer. Freezes 1 quart in 30 minutes. 2 quarts—\$1.99 4 quarts—\$3.98 6 quarts—\$5.97 8 quarts—\$7.96 10 quarts—\$9.95 12 quarts—\$11.94 14 quarts—\$13.93 16 quarts—\$15.92 18 quarts—\$17.91 20 quarts—\$19.90 22 quarts—\$21.89 24 quarts—\$23.88 26 quarts—\$25.87 28 quarts—\$27.86 30 quarts—\$29.85 32 quarts—\$31.84 34 quarts—\$33.83 36 quarts—\$35.82 38 quarts—\$37.81 40 quarts—\$39.80 42 quarts—\$41.79 44 quarts—\$43.78 46 quarts—\$45.77 48 quarts—\$47.76 50 quarts—\$49.75 52 quarts—\$51.74 54 quarts—\$53.73 56 quarts—\$55.72 58 quarts—\$57.71 60 quarts—\$59.70 62 quarts—\$61.69 64 quarts—\$63.68 66 quarts—\$65.67 68 quarts—\$67.66 70 quarts—\$69.65 72 quarts—\$71.64 74 quarts—\$73.63 76 quarts—\$75.62 78 quarts—\$77.61 80 quarts—\$79.60 82 quarts—\$81.59 84 quarts—\$83.58 86 quarts—\$85.57 88 quarts—\$87.56 90 quarts—\$89.55 92 quarts—\$91.54 94 quarts—\$93.53 96 quarts—\$95.52 98 quarts—\$97.51 100 quarts—\$99.50 102 quarts—\$101.49 104 quarts—\$103.48 106 quarts—\$105.47 108 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